









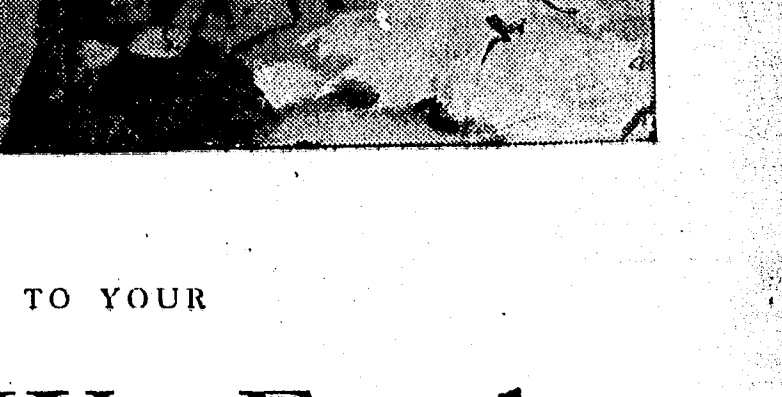




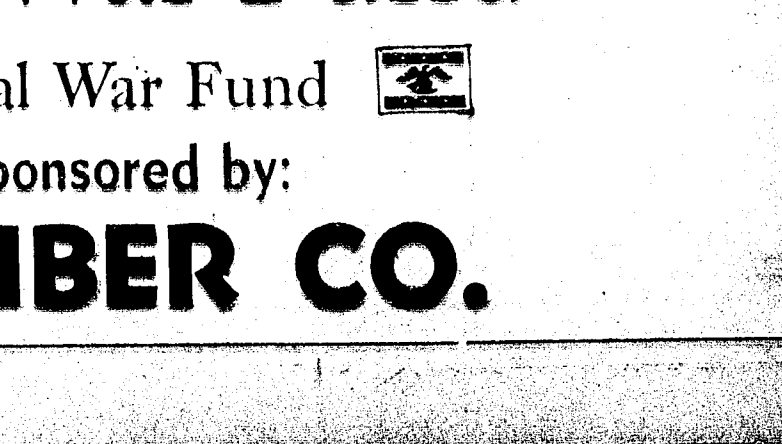
Second Street, William B-17 co-pilot shot down over Germany, spent many days on a meager diet and sleeping on the ground during his escape. On his return home for an unannounced leave, he found his family and home to enter a second-story window.

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# War Fund



*How it feels to hold a soldier's hand  
when he's being blinded—forever!*



Turn the page—quick—if you want to. This isn't pleasant. It is true. And every true American should read it.

It happened to that young lovely film star, Louise Allbritton.

They didn't tell her that day in Hollywood when the U.S.O. invited her to join an overseas troupe that anything like this would ever happen.

"They didn't tell her because they didn't know either. This 'act' was never on any program."

She went overseas. Gave show after show, many of them to the accompaniment of the thunder of enemy guns.

Then one night she gave a show, and as usual, it was more than a show. It was, to its audience, a dream of home come true. Here was a live, lovely American girl—a symbol of all the girls all the boys had left behind them.

A week later she was asked to visit the wounded in base hospital, and as she passed between the long rows of cots, a voice, weak and shy, called her name.

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She bent over the youngster's cot. "I was in the audience at . . . . .," he whispered. "Since then we were in the fighting . . . . . They got me right eye. In a few minutes the doctors are going to take out the other one. It's gotta be done, they told me. My girl at home looks a lot like you. So if you could say well, the last thing I'll ever see in this world—I'd like to say may stay with me until—I'd be a lot happier . . ."


She didn't answer. She couldn't. Could you? But she stayed there with the boy's single-eyed gaze fixed upon her, and her hand and arm extended toward him, whispering and the anesthetist's merciful cone slipped over his face, and the last thing he saw, or ever was aware, was her face—so much like the face of the girl at home he loved . . .

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But for the grace of God it could have been your life upon that operating table. So for that boy—and every boy—fighting our battles for us everywhere in the world support the National War Fund of which the U.S.O. is one of the 19 participating agencies. You can do so by giving to your local Community War Fund. For help in battle zones—no matter how far from home—Ally and for "essentials" right here on the strange front. Everyone and everything connected—including your conscience—give . . . give . . . NOW!

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## SIDE GLANCES



Here come our guests, but when we go inside, please  
 don't get into a political argument about them. You  
 don't see if I can get the name of their laundress!

## Reception Committee



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## The Last Weekend



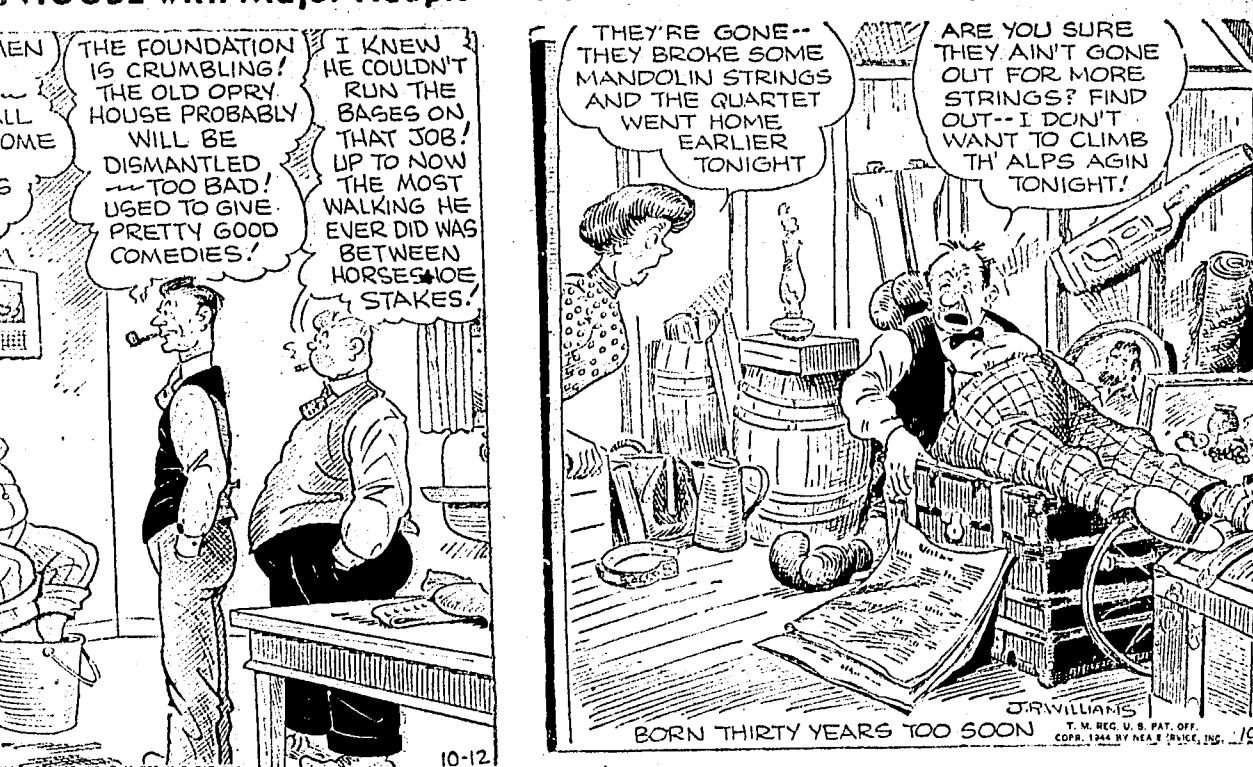
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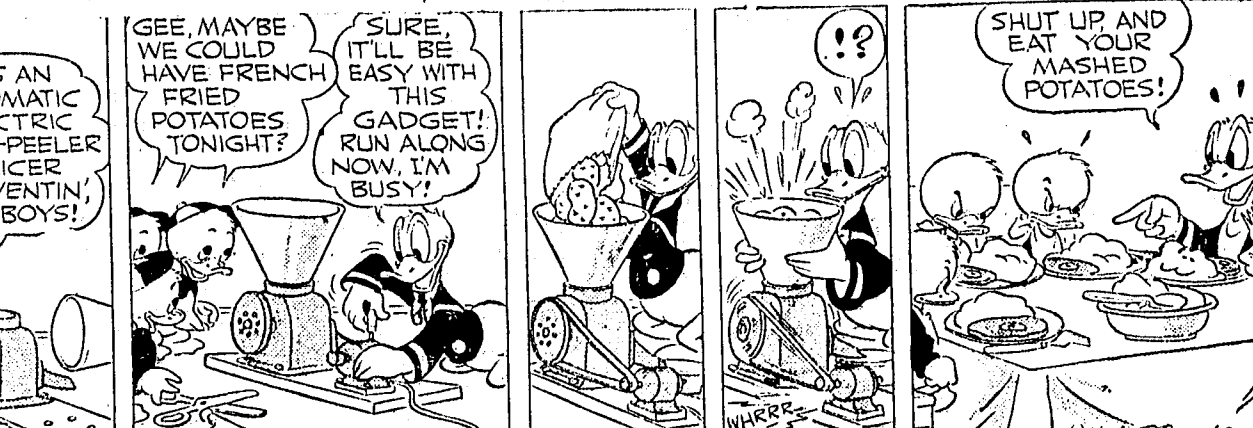


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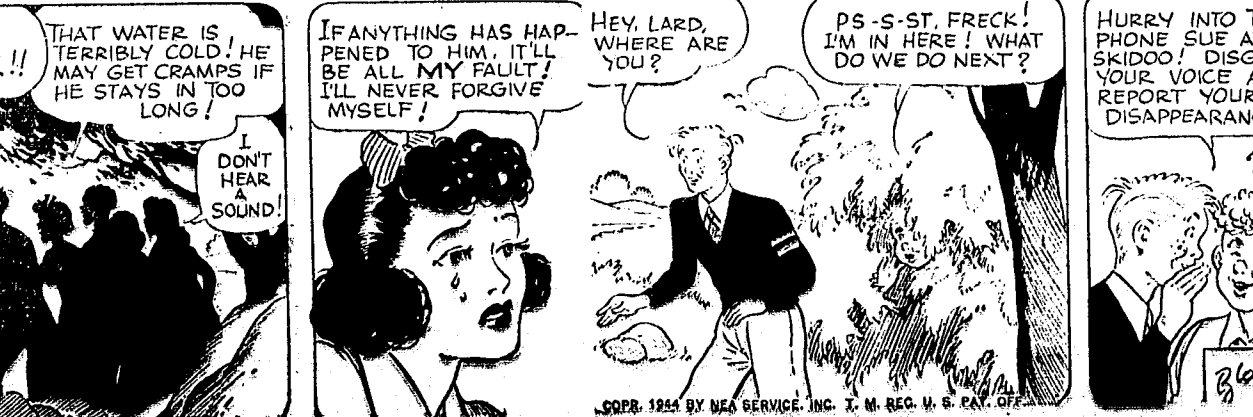
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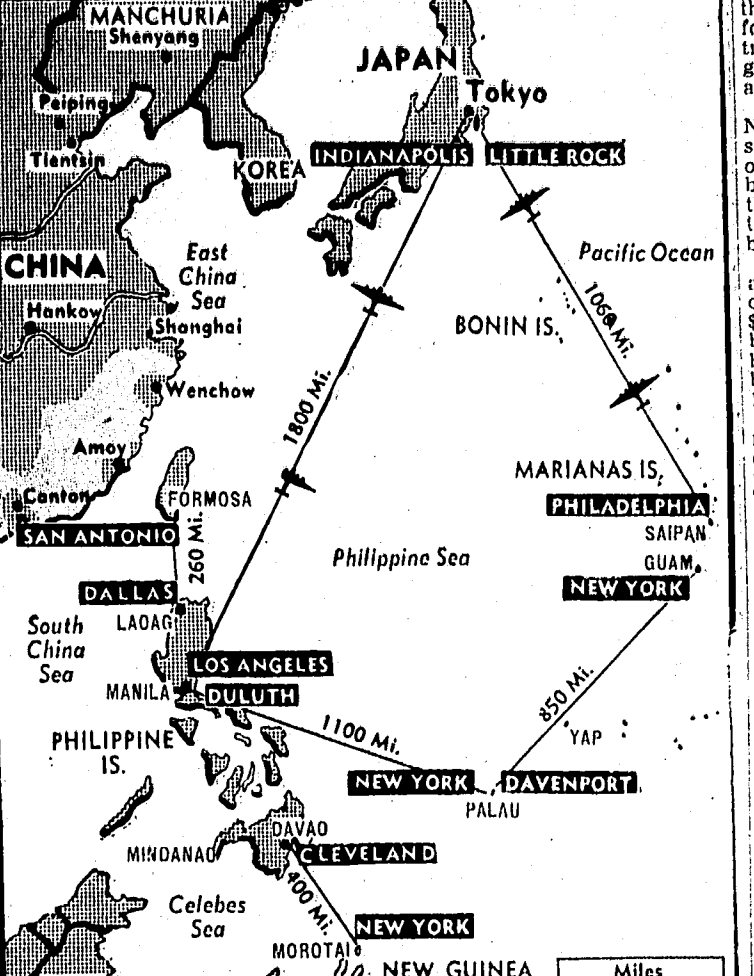
## By V. T. Hamlin



## Hollywood

BY ROBIN COONS  
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 to-day on the Hollywood. From  
 the top of the town, who gets  
 around. And it's a pretty sad story  
 of the town. The town is a  
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## It's a Big Ocean, That Pacific



If you think Japan's going to be a pushover after Germany falls,  
 the map above should give you another thought. It shows the  
 air distances from present Allied bases to the Philippines and  
 Japan proper, indicated in terms of distances between American  
 cities. Saipan, our nearest island base to Tokyo, for instance, is  
 about the same distance as from Philadelphia to Little Rock, Ark.

## Here's the Process by Which

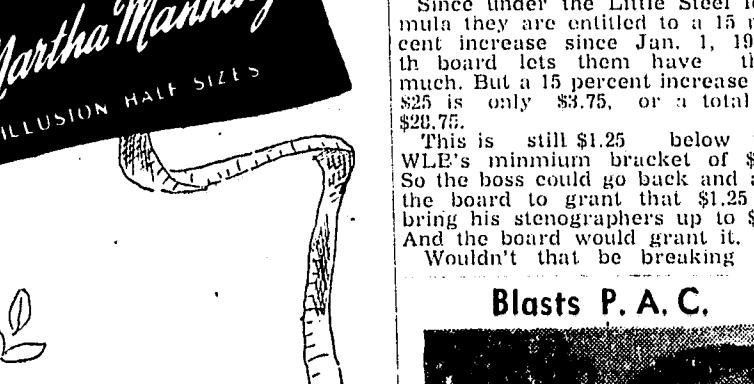
## White-Collar Worker Gets a Raise in Wartime America

JAMES MARLOW  
 Washington, Oct. 12.—(AP)—No  
 one is slinking his neck out to  
 name the day when the nation's  
 wage control program will be  
 changed. But it is a fact that  
 does a white collar worker get  
 his raise?  
 A mid-westerner, writing in, asks  
 that question. Here's the answer:  
 The War Labor Board (WLB) has  
 wage-salary jurisdiction over  
 employees, unionized or not, who  
 make less than \$5,000 yearly and  
 are not in professional, administrative  
 or executive jobs.  
 The board does have control  
 over those people in professional,  
 administrative or executive  
 jobs.  
 yourself invited to Louis B. May-  
 or's house, or Jack Warner's house,  
 and you're in. Well, it was a party  
 to. B. and Jack's and Jack's  
 take his wife out dancing. But next  
 day, I was starving for want  
 of a job. I could go to his office  
 and ask him for a job. He would  
 say "how can a fellow like  
 you, so fond of parties, take charge  
 of a \$2,000,000 picture?"  
 "So I quit going to parties, and  
 when they said to come over to  
 their houses for cocktails, I was  
 busy. I stayed away—and then I  
 began to get jobs.  
 Having got some, the dashing  
 Negulesco could resume his  
 extracurricular activities. In recent  
 months he has dated Veronica  
 Lake, Anita Colby, and now Iona  
 Massey, who, though beautiful  
 and unattached, apparently has  
 not yet become an "institution."

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## Blasts P. A. C.

Robert E. Stripling, chief investigator for the Dies Committee investigating the C. I. O. Political Action Committee, is pictured at recent hearing in Washington as he charged that the P. A. C. is "following the Communist Party line" and is "part of the revamped blueprint of the Communist Party to destroy the American system of government by taking over major political party."

## Little Rock to Play Yerger Here Friday

The Yerger High School Tigers will play Dumbor High School of Little Rock here at 8:45 o'clock Friday afternoon in a game opening the local Negro school's football season.

## Emory A. Thompson Buys New Farm, and Grandpoo, Same Day

R. D. Franklin and J. S. Matthews today announced the sale of a 1,800-acre farm at Guernsey to Emory A. Thompson, legislator and landowner of this county. The deal was made the same day that Mr. Thompson became a grandfather, a girl being born to his daughter, Mrs. Duffie Day Booth.

## Missionary Baptist Association Meets Mt. Olive Oct. 13-15

The messengers from the forty churches composing the Union Missionary Baptist association are to convene in the seventy-third annual session October 13, 14, and 15, at Mt. Olive Baptist church, which is located between Boston and Waterloo, Ed. Floyd Clark, Lewisville, is the pastor of the sponsoring church.

All church officers are: Eld. W. E. Thompson, president, moder-

ator: Eld. Elbert O'Steen, R. F. D. 1, Hope, Clerk; J. B. Silver, Bod-

claw, treasurer; Eld. J. J. C. Wain,

at least two new churches are expected to enter the fellowship as a result of mission endeavors.

The session opens at 10: A. M. Friday, October 13. Eld. Elbert O'Steen is scheduled to give the opening message with Eld. Criss, Barham, Arkansas State Missionary, alternate.

The churches composing this association have a total membership of approximately 4,000.

Ernest Stuart, center; Bill Rhinhardt, right; Howard Jones, right; David Perkins, left; Johnnie Andrews, left; Ralph Palmer, left; Edward Stuart, right; James Lloyd, fullback.

Remember: This \$20 minimum bracket was only an example of what the WLB might do in the New York City area. In the case of stenographers, the same board might set a \$25 minimum bracket for stenographers in the Albany area.

Thus the various minimum brackets would be worked out around the country to fit the various occupations, whether they were on an hourly or week basis. There are also maximum brackets but at WLB it was said these are seldom used.

(Note: It was incorrectly stated these were the rates of the enter-

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